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Dear Ms. Harris:

AMENDMENT

In response to a telephone interview with the Examiner, on August 15, 1996, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please rewrite claim 18 as follows:

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(Thrice Amended) A hair-removal device for simultaneously removing multiple hairs, each of which is in a corresponding follicle, from a skin region of a patient, comprising:

means for generating optical radiation; and

an irradiating unit including a contact device <u>comprising a large-area</u>, <u>optically</u> <u>transparent apparatus having a surface shaped to contact said skin region, said contact device</u> receiving radiation from said means for generating and then delivering the radiation to the skin region of the patient, including the hairs and follicles in said

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